

13/FAL Selected Topics and Learning Community courses

ART-371-1

Advanced Photography (3)

Smith

W 6-8:45pm

cap 12

The course will cover advanced camera and image editing techniques, aesthetics and composition, presentation, and photographic history. Students will have the opportunity to pursue individual projects in addition to regular photographic assignments and assignment critiques. Students will be expected to improve and build upon the skills learned in Introduction to Digital Photography.

BUS-271-1 Foundations of Entrepreneurship (3) Merritt

MWF 11-11:50am

cap 20

This course offers a framework for understanding the entrepreneurial process and exposes students to the challenges, problems, and issues faced by entrepreneurs. Designed to help students develop basic entrepreneurial and business skills in a format that encourages dialogue, develops critical thinking skills, and promotes self-awareness and personal development; students will be encouraged to evaluate problems and explore solutions using an interdisciplinary approach. Students successfully completing this course will be able to identify and evaluate business opportunities, develop a business concept, assess and obtain required resources, and manage the growth of new and existing ventures.

GEG-371-1 Marine Science (3)

Souchek

MWF 1-1:50pm

cap 12

Oceans cover about 70% of the planet's surface. No matter where we live the influence of the sea is present in our daily lives affecting the planet's climate, biosphere, and energy resources. This interdisciplinary course will include various areas involved in marine studies such as earth science, biological and physical oceanography, and the history of ocean exploration. The interrelationships that exist between oceans and humanity will also be investigated owing to the importance of the world's seas as sources of food, suppliers of oxygen, regulators of climate, and depository for humanities' waste. After this class students can optionally complete the January 2014 interterm Florida Keys and Everglades Natural History which includes a marine education field experience at the Newfound Harbor Marine Institute. Upon completion students will demonstrate an understanding of how biological, geological and physical processes apply to our understanding of oceans and the impact of humanity upon the marine environment. Prerequisites: BIO-101 or BIO-120 or GEO-101.

LCM-271-1 A Human Rights Journey (6)

Kalbach & Engebretson

T/TH 1-3:30pm

cap 24

This course will take students on an intellectual journey of seeking *truth* as it relates to the issue of human rights and human wrongs. Students will explore these issues by focusing on the concept of ethics in relation to human thought and behavior. Readings, speakers, field trips, and mock trials will be used as guides on the journey. This journey will include student-developed symposia as other windows into truth(s).

Students who enroll in the learning community will receive credit for LAR-101 and PRE-111.